Name of the subject: PHYSIOLOGICAL PLANT ANATOMY

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Status of the subject: Elective Course

Number of ECTS points: 15

Condition:

Goal of the subject

Getting konwledge about complexity and interactions between structural characteristics of tissues, organs, plant organizm in a whole and plant physiological processes.

Outcome of the subject

After finishing this course students should obtain knowledge that would enable them to understand and follow actual investigations in this field.

Content of the subject

Theoretical lectures

Interaction of structure and function. Vascular tissue: phloem structure and transport of assimilates. Xylem structure and water transport. Secretory tissue and types of secretion. Cranz anatomy of leaf and photosynthesis. Stomatal aparatus, gas exchange and transpiration. Dermal tissue characteristics and foliar apsorption. Leaf vein endings and transport of assimilates. Anatomical changes of vegetative organs in relation to excessive or deficit mineral nutrition. Changes in the structure of plant organs induced by excessive or deficit presence of macro and microelements.

Practical lectures

The structure of practical work is in accordance with candidat's field of research and the subject of PhD thesis.

Recommended literature

Denffer, D., Ziegler, H. (1991): Ботаника. Морфологија и физиологија. Школска Књига, Загреб. Dickison C. W. (2000): Integrative plant anatomy, Harcourt academic press, New York, London. New publications and papers available on internet

Number of active classes Theory: 5 Practice: 5

Methods of delivering lectures

lectures, practical work, student research work, consultations

Evaluation of knowledge (maximum number of points 100)

The exam is oral. Prerequisites for oral exam are: active involvement of students in experimental work on specific subjects dealing with physiological anatomy, written and presented student's practical work and read out of several scientific papers from this field.

Practical work: 20 Seminar work: 30 Oral exam: 50